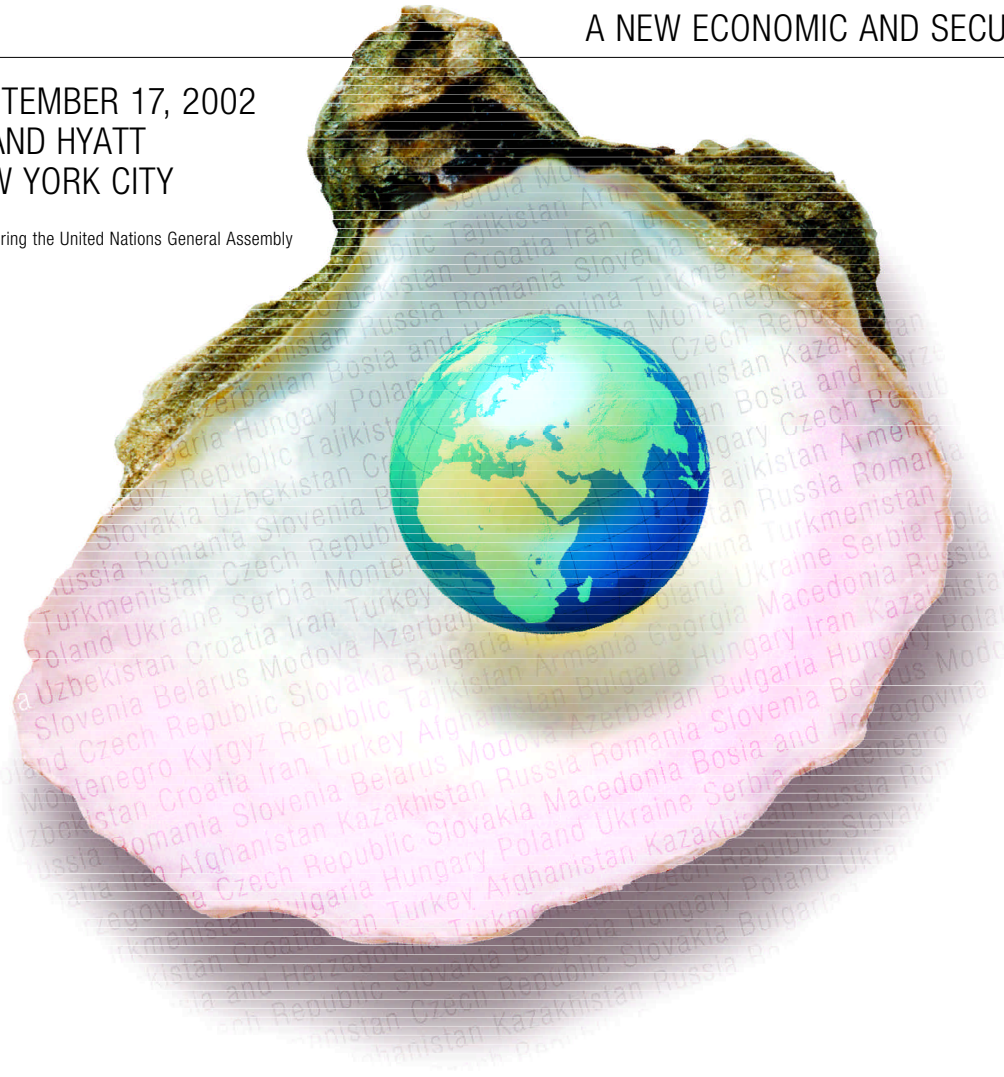


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A NEW ECONOMIC AND SECURITY FRAMEWORK

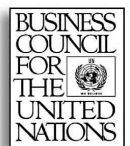
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Overview

Eurasia, a region of rich natural resources and expanding markets, provides savvy investors and businesses the opportunity for significant returns. However, understanding the region's evolving political and economic landscape remains critical to success.

At the 2002 Eurasia Summit, over 25 Foreign Ministers and Heads of State from the region will take time out from the UN General Assembly debates to meet with leaders of the corporate and investment communities. The Summit will provide an inside look at how regional economic and security policies affect the investment climate of the region. Eurasia includes Russia and the Newly Independent States, East and Southeast Europe, Turkey and Iran.

Attendees

Eurasia Summit expects approximately 250 participants and will target four major constituencies:

INVESTMENT COMMUNITY

Participation in Eurasia Summit is open to senior executives and officers of organizations with existing or potential investments in the region. Participants include, but are not limited to, the following sectors/industries:

- Energy
- Real Estate
- Banking, Finance, Insurance
- Agriculture
- Telecommunications and IT
- Legal

ANALYSTS

Sovereign and risk analysts, economists and policy analysts with interest or expertise in this region will be in attendance.

TELEVISION AND PRINT MEDIA

Eurasia Summit will generate significant press exposure. Past events by organizers have been covered by such international media groups as: Bloomberg, *Business Week*, *Financial Times*, *Forbes Magazine*, *The New York Times*, Reuters, *The Wall Street Journal*, *The Washington Post*, CNN International, FOX and C-SPAN.

FOREIGN MINISTERS AND HEADS OF STATE

Attendees will have the opportunity to hear from Foreign Ministers, Heads of State and senior UN representatives from the following Eurasia countries:

- Afghanistan
- Armenia
- Azerbaijan
- Belarus
- Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Bulgaria
- Croatia
- Czech Republic
- Georgia
- Hungary
- Iran
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Draft Program*

Tuesday, September 17, 2002

7:30am – 8:00am

[Registration and Continental Breakfast](#)

8:00am – 8:15am

[Welcome and Introductions](#)

Dr. Ian Bremmer

President, Eurasia Group

Mr. William Paul Underwood

Executive Director, Business Council for the U.N.

Mr. Mark Malloch Brown

Administrator

United Nations Development Programme

8:15am – 9:00am

[Breakfast Plenary](#)

[Economic Growth and Development in](#)

[Eurasia: A U.S. Perspective](#)

Mr. Paul O'Neill

U.S. Secretary of the Treasury

Moderator

Ambassador William H. Luers

President and CEO, UNA-USA/BCUN

9:00am – 9:15am

[Coffee Break](#)

9:15am – 10:00am

[Morning Plenary I](#)

[The Future of Turkey's Economic and](#)

[Financial Development](#)

H.E. Sükrü Sina Gürel

Foreign Minister, Turkey

Moderator

Mr. Charles Dallara

Managing Director, The Institute of International Finance, Inc.

The events following September 11th have focused international attention on Turkey's economy and regional strategic importance. Turkey's presence as the only Muslim NATO country, its candidature for full European Union membership, its support for U.S. regional military activities, and its policy of continued democratization ensure the nation's continued role as partner between East and West.

10:00am – 10:45am

[Morning Plenary II](#)

[Iran's Relations with the West: The Future of Security and Economic Development](#)

H.E. Kamal Kharrazi

Foreign Minister, Iran

Moderator

Dr. Fareed Zakaria

Editor, Newsweek International

Heightened tensions in the Middle East and the U.S.'s post-September 11th foreign policy shift have placed Iran on the center stage of international affairs. As it reacts to these external pressures, the nation must contend with both domestic forces seeking increased political and economic reform, as well as factions strongly opposed to Westernization.

10:45am – 11:00am

[Refreshment Break](#)

11:00am – 12:15pm

[Panel Discussion](#)

[Challenges of European Union Accession](#)

H.E. Solomon Passy

Foreign Minister, Bulgaria

H.E. Cyril Svoboda

Deputy Prime Minister and
Minister of Foreign Affairs, Czech Republic

H.E. Tonino Picula

Foreign Minister, Croatia

H.E. László Kovács

Foreign Minister, Hungary

H.E. Włodzimierz Cimoszewicz

Foreign Minister, Poland

H.E. Mircea Geoana

Foreign Minister, Romania

H.E. Milan Kucan

President, Slovenia

Heads of Delegation from Turkey,
Slovak Republic

Moderator

Mr. Floyd Norris

Chief Financial Correspondent, New York Times

While much has been made of the advantages of European Union accession, several challenges exist for the first wave of member

applicants. Governments face increasing constraints from domestic constituents threatened by open economic relations with Western Europe. The initial phases of these disputes are beginning to emerge and are likely to intensify as the accession process moves forward.

12:15pm – 12:45pm

[Luncheon Reception](#)

12:45pm – 2:00pm

[Luncheon Plenary](#)

[Eurasia: A Region in Transition](#)

Professor Joseph Stiglitz

Columbia University

Mr. George Soros

Chairman, Open Society Institute

Moderator

Mr. Lou Dobbs

Anchor and Managing Editor, CNN's Moneyline

In a post-9/11 world, the international community has begun to examine the Eurasia region with a renewed sense of vigor. In this new global paradigm, many of the region's leaders are reexamining their domestic and foreign economic and security priorities, reorienting old policies and formulating new ones. Foreign investors and financial institutions continue to work with local decision makers to unlock the economic potential of the region, while the impact of security issues such as NATO's eastward expansion and the effects of the "War Against Terrorism" on Central Asia have become a chief concern.

2:00pm – 2:15pm

[Afternoon Break](#)

2:15pm – 3:30pm

[Afternoon Panel Discussion](#)
[Breakout Session A](#)
[Economic and Security Framework](#)
[in Central Asia](#)

H.E. Kassymzhomart Tokaev
Secretary of State and
Minister of Foreign Affairs, Kazakhstan

H.E. Askar Aitmatov
Foreign Minister, Kyrgyz Republic

H.E. Talbak Nazarov
Foreign Minister, Tajikistan

H.E. Rashid Meredov
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H.E. Abdulaziz Kamilov
Foreign Minister, Uzbekistan

H.E. Abdullah Abdullah
Foreign Minister, Afghanistan

Moderator
Ambassador Nicholas Platt
President, Asia Society

Central Asia's economic and security framework stands at a critical juncture in its development, as countries in the region struggle to tackle issues such as resource development and conservation, extreme poverty, narcotics, religious extremism and the retention of foreign investment. The failure of Taliban rule in Afghanistan proved that successful handling of such challenges is crucial to the domestic development of these countries, and to the security of the region more broadly.

[Breakout Session B](#)
[Regional Economic Cooperation](#)

H.E. Vartan Oskanian
Foreign Minister, Armenia

Heads of Delegation from Ukraine,
Belarus, Russian Federation and Moldova

Moderator
Mr. John M. Hennessy
Senior Advisor, Credit Suisse First Boston

Many of the former Soviet republics continue to struggle with the disruption of commercial ties that resulted from the break-up of the

USSR more than a decade ago. Steps are being taken to coordinate trade and energy systems in the region, which are crucial factors in economic growth and development.

3:30pm – 3:45pm

[Break](#)

3:45pm – 5:00pm

[Breakout Session C](#)
[Energy and Regional Security](#)

H.E. Vilayat Guliyev
Foreign Minister, Azerbaijan

H.E. Irakli Menagarishvili
Foreign Minister, Georgia

H.E. Kassymzhomart Tokaev
Secretary of State and Minister of
Foreign Affairs, Kazakhstan

Heads of Delegation from Turkey,
Russian Federation and Iran

Moderator
TBD

Issues of energy policy and regional security are closely interlinked and have been given increasing attention over the past year. Cooperation on energy development and export is likely to increase levels of security, giving hope that ambitious new pipeline projects will bring greater stability across the region. However, this kind of stability is contingent on continued growth in foreign investment and on the implementation of these types of projects, which could be jeopardized if these nations are unable to ensure a secure supply and transit of resources.

[Breakout Session D](#)
[Economic Development in Southeast Europe](#)

H.E. Zlatko Lagumdžija
Foreign Minister, Bosnia and Herzegovina

H.E. Tonino Picula
Foreign Minister, Croatia

H.E. Vojislav Kostunica
President, Federal Republic of Yugoslavia

H.E. Slobodan Casule
Foreign Minister, Macedonia

Moderator
TBD

With the first wave of EU accession moving closer to reality, Southeast Europe will become an important agenda item for the EU and NATO. EU accession, together with an increasingly rapid NATO expansion, will alter economic, geopolitical, and security realities in SEE. The economic development of the SEE countries is crucial in order to ensure a smooth EU and NATO integration.

5:00pm – 5:15pm

[Coffee Break](#)

5:15pm – 6:15pm

[Evening Plenary](#)
[Russia's Foreign Policy:](#)
[Economic and Security Priorities](#)

H.E. Igor Ivanov
Foreign Minister, Russia

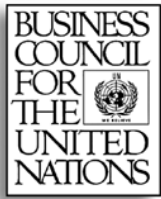
Moderator
Honorable John C. Whitehead
Chairman, Goldman Sachs Foundation

Over the past several years, Russia has increasingly emphasized the economic component of its foreign policy. Russia's strategy toward former Soviet Republics has focused on establishing an ongoing economic influence and addressing security challenges. Russia has tackled several key issues on global and economic integration, including WTO entry, trade relations with the U.S. and the EU, and the reduction in stockpile and export of military hardware.

6:15pm – 7:15pm

[Cocktail Reception](#)

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